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SUBJECT: REVISED JAPANESE DRAFT RESOLUTION ON NON-
PROLIFERATION AND PEACEFUL NUCLEAR EXPLOSIONS

1. JAPANESE DEL GAVE US REVISED DRAFT RESOLUTION (TEXT BELOW), ASKING THAT IT BE KEPT CONFIDENTIAL FOR THE TIME BEING. YATABE SAID COPY HAD ALSO BEEN GIVEN TO DUTCH IN VIEW OF THEIR INTEREST IN THE PNE QUESTION BUT TO NO OTHER DELS.
2. IN SEPARATE CONVERSATION, NISIBORI TOLD GIVAN (US) THAT FIRST OPERATIVE PARAGRAPH HAD BEEN APPROVED BY TOKYO AS ADEQUATE TREATMENT OF NON-PROLIFERATION ISSUE, SUBSTITUTING FOR MUCH MORE AMBITIOUS RESOLUTION THAT WOULD HAVE REFERRED NON-PROLIFERATION ISSUES TO UN SECURITY COUNCIL. GIVAN REPLIED THAT HE THOUGHT EXISTING INSTRUCTIONS WOULD CLEARLY PERMIT US DEL TO SUPPORT APPROACH TAKEN IN FIRST OPERATIVE PARAGRAPH. IN REPLY TO QUESTION ABOUT SECOND OPERATIVE PARAGRAPH, CALLING ON UNSYG TO STUDY QUESTION OF PEACEFUL NUCLEAR EXPLOSIONS, GIVAN SAID THAT US SAW

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PROBLEMS IN THIS APPROACH AND WOULD PREFER TO SEE ARMS

CONTROL IMPLICATIONS OF PNE'S REFERRED TO CCD.

QUOTE

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

RECALLING ITS NUMEROUS RESOLUTIONS ON THE URGENT NEED
FOR PREVENTION OF NUCLEAR PROLIFERATION.

REAFFIRMING THAT THE ACCELERATION OF THE NUCLEAR ARMS RACE
AND THE PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS WOULD ENDANGER
THE SECURITY OF ALL STATES,

CONVINCED THAT, IN VIEW OF RECENT INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENTS,
ALL STATES, IN PARTICULAR NUCLEAR-WEAPON STATES, MUST TAKE EFFECTIVE
MEASURES TO ACHIEVE COMPLETE NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT AS SOON AS
POSSIBLE AND TO PREVENT FURTHER PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS,
NOTHING WITH CONCERN THAT IN THE COURSE OF THIS YEAR NUCLEAR
TEST HAVE BEEN UNDERTAKEN BY AN UNPRECEDENTED NUMBER OF STATES,
CONVINCED THAT THE RIGHT OF EACH STATE TO CARRY OUT NUCLEAR
RESEARCH AND PEACEFUL APPLICATIONS OF NUCLEAR SCIENCE AND
TECHNOLOGY SHOULD BE RESPECTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PRINCIPLE
OF EQUAL SOVEREIGNTY AND INDEPENDENCE FOR ALL NATIONS
GUARANTEED BY THE UNITED NATIONS CHARTER,

NOTING THAT, WITH THE FUTURE POSSIBILITY OF NUCLEAR EXPLOSIONS FOR
PEACEFUL PURPOSES, EVEN THOSE STATES WHICH DENOUNCE THE POSSESSION
OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS WISH TO ENJOY POTENTIAL BENEFITS OF
SUCH EXPLOSIONS,

NOTING WITH GREAT CONCERN, HOWEVER, THAT, AS A RESULT OF THE
WIDER DISSEMINATION OF NUCLEAR TECHNOLOGY AND NUCLEAR MATERIALS,
THE POSSIBLE DIVERSION OF NUCLEAR DEVICES FROM PEACEFUL
TO MILITARY USES MAY PRESENT A SERIOUS DANGER FOR WORLD
PEACE AND SECURITY,

BEARING IN MIND THAT THE PRESENT STATE OF TECHNOLOGY DOES
NOT PERMIT TO DIFFERENTIATE BETWEEN NUCLEAR WEAPONS AND
NUCLEAR EXPLOSIVE DEVICES FOR PEACEFUL PURPOSES,
CONSIDERING THEREFORE THAT THE UNIVERSAL APPLICATION OF ADEQUATE
INTERNATIONAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR PEACEFUL EXPLOSIONS OF NUCLEAR DEVICES

IS REQUIRED SO AS TO HELP PREVENT THE PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR
EXPLOSIVE DEVICES AND THE INTENSIFICATION OF THE NUCLEAR ARMS
RACE,

CONVINCED THAT SUCH INTERNATIONAL ARRANGEMENTS SHOULD BE
COMPLEMENTED BY

THE EARLY ACHIEVEMENT OF A COMPREHENSIVE NUCLEAR TEST BAN,
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NOTING THAT THE REVIEW CONFERENCE OF THE TREATY ON THE NON-
PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS WILL BE HELD IN GENEVA IN MAY 1975,

1. APPEALS TO ALL STATES, IN PARTICULAR NUCLEAR-WEAPON STATES, TO
EXERT CONCERTED EFFORTS IN ALL THE INTERNATIONAL FORUMS WITH A
VIEW TO PROMPTLY WORKING OUT EFFECTIVE MEASURES FOR THE PREVENTION
OF THE FURTHER PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS,
2. REQUESTS THE SECRETARY-GENERAL WITH THE ASSISTANCE
OF QUALIFIED EXPERTS APPOINTED BY HIM AND IN CONSULTATION WITH THE

INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY AGENCY, TO STUDY THE QUESTION
OF PEACEFUL NUCLEAR EXPLOSIONS IN ORDER TO ASSESS THE RISKS
OF SUCH EXPLOSIONS BEING CONDUCTIVE TO WEAPONS DEVELOPMENT OR THE
NUCLEAR ARMAMENT, AND TO REPORT THE RESULTS OF THE STUDY
TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT ITS THIRTIETH
SESSION,
3. REQUESTS THE INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY AGENCY TO CONTINUE ITS
STUDIES ON THE PEACEFUL APPLICATIONS OF NUCLEAR EXPLSIONS,
THEIR UTILITY AND FEASIBILITY, AND
TO REPORT ON THESE QUESTIONS TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT TIS
THIRTIETH SESSION,
4. REQUEST ALL STATES TO PROVIDE TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL
AND TO THE INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY AGENCY NECESSARY INFORM-
MATION THEY DEEM PERTINENT TO SUBMIT FOR THE PURPOSE
DEFINED IN PARAGRAPHS W AND 3 ABOVE,
5. INVITES THE I.A.E.A. AND SPECIALIZED AGENCIES CONCERNED TO
GIVE FULL ASSISTANCE TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL IN CARRYING
OUT THE WORK REQUESTED IN PARAGRAPH 2 ABOVE,
6 DECIDES TO INCLUDE IN THE PROVISIONAL AGENDA OF ITS THIRTIETH
SESSION AN ITEM ENTITLED "URGENT NEED TO PREVENT FURTHER PROLIFERATION

OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS FOR THE INTERNATIONAL PEACE AND SECURITY."
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